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SUBJECT: AUSTRIAN PRESS SPECULATION ON POSSIBLE

KISSINGER-GROMYKO MEETING IN VIENNA ON

NEAR EAST PROBLEM

1. IN FRONT-PAGE LEAD ITEM MARCH 18, "DIE PRESSE", AUSTRIA'S
PROMINENT INDEPENDENT DAILY, SPECULATED ON STRONG POSSIBILITZ
OF KISSINGER-GROMYKO TALKS ON NEAR EAST TAKING PLACE IN
VIENNA, AS EARLY AS END OF THIS WEEK. "JERUSALEM POST"
WHICH CITED AS SOURCE FOR STORY, REPORTEDLY HAD OBTAI
ED
INFORMATION FROM AMERICAN SOURCES.

2. IN RESPONSE TO PRESS QUERY, CHANCELLOR KREISKY
INDICATED TO "DIE PRESSE" HE HAD HEARD ABOUT REPORT
(PROBABLY FROM DAILY SUMMARY OF FOREIGN PRESS PREPARED
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BY FOREIGN OFFICE) BUT THAT NO CONCRETE PLANS WERE BEING

MADE FOR POSSIBLE KISSINGER-GROMYKO MEETING IN AUSTRIAN
CAPITAL. EMBASSY RESPONDED TO SIM LAR QUERY WITH
OBSERVATION THAT IT HAD RECEIVED NO INFORMATION ON SUBJECT
AND KNEW NOTHING ABOUT SUCH POSSIBLE MEETING. MOWINCKEL
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